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For: *METHOD FOR SELECTING RECOMBINASE VARIANTS WITH
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the application as follows:

In the Specification

On page 7, line 25, please delete "Figure 5 depicts", and insert --Figures 5A, 5B, and 5C depict-- in place thereof.

On page 7, line 29, please delete "Figure 7 is", and insert --Figures 7A, 7B, and 7C are-- in place thereof.

On page 8, line 1, please delete "Figure 8 is", and insert --Figures 8A and 8B are-- in place thereof.

On page 8, line 4, please delete "Figure 10 is", and insert --Figures 10A, 10B, and 10C are-- in place thereof.